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The non-final office action dated 7/27/07 states that claims 1-12 and 18-29 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 101 (pgs 2-4). The Examiner's Answer dated 3/25/08 states that claims 1-12 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 101 (pgs 3-4). As it says in the Examiner's Answer dated 3/25/08 "In light of the appellant's respective argument or respective amendments, some previous 35 USC 101 rejections to the claims have been withdrawn." Specifically, the 35 U.S.C 101 rejections to Claims 18-29 are withdrawn since the claims are method claims where the specification recites a useful result.

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